



**Historical Society of the
United States District Court
Northern District of Iowa**

October 20, 2015

Minutes

1. In attendance were Rich Murphy, Treasurer; and Kevin Collins, Secretary; Robert Phelps, , Hillary Naab, Tim Hill, CJ Williams, Steve Swift, and Rich Lipman.
2. Rich Murphy will e-mail the latest report and membership list to all.
3. The template developed by Hilary Naab and Ray Sheetz will be distributed by Rob Phelps to all judges to gather information to update the history book.
4. CJ Williams has complete the interview og Judge Bennett for the oral history project. Paula Roby has done Judge McManus and is planning to do Judge Kilburg. Fran Haas is planning to do CJ Reade.
5. Paula Roby recommended holding a social event, such as a ball, to raise the profile of the Historical Society and increase membership.
6. It was agreed that the Executive Committee should meet at least once a month and the entire membership should meet quarterly. The first meeting for the entire membership will be Thursday, Nov 13, at noon in the Cedar Rapids Courthouse.